

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Todd J. Sheldon, et al.      Docket: P-8729.00  
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Title: ISCHEMIA DETECTION

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**AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Examiner Getzow:

This Amendment responds to the non-final Office Action mailed January 12, 2003, which Office Action set a three-month statutory period for response that expires on April 14, 2003.

In the Office Action pending claims 1-6, 8-24, 28-33, 35-49, 54, and 56-67 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a), and claims 7, 25-27, 34, 50-53, and 55 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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